

## REMARKS

Upon entry of the present Preliminary Amendment-A the claims in the application are claims 1-12, of which claims 1, 3 and 4 are independent.

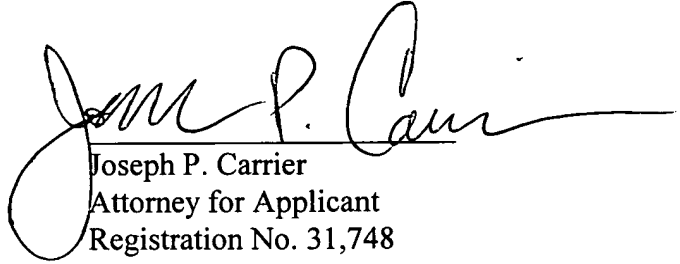
The specification, claims and abstract has been amended to overcome minor informalities therein. Also, new claims 5-6 are added which depend from claims 3 and 4, but present limitations corresponding to those in claim 2, while new claims 7-12 further define aspects of the distortion correction means.

Applicant respectfully submits that all of the above amendments are fully supported by the original application. Applicant also respectfully submits that the above amendments do not introduce any new matter into the application.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

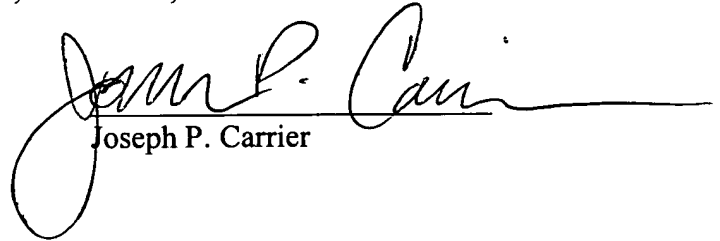
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